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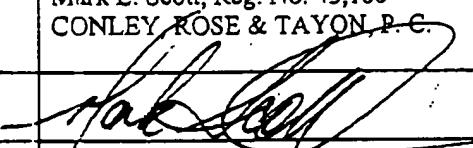
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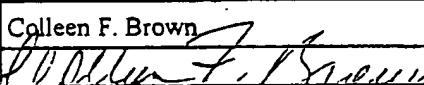
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First Named Inventor	Thomas P. SAWYERS
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## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

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101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Re-issue filing fee	
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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	** Reissue Independent claims over original patent
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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130.00
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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10/034,718	12/28/2001	Thomas P. Sawyers	✓ 1662-55400 JMH (P01-3884)

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:  
*James Mun Wai Kok*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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APPLICANTS: Thomas P. SAWYERS et al.  
SERIAL NO.: 10/034,718  
FILING DATE: December 28, 2001  
CLIENT NO.: 1662-55400 JMH (P01-3884)  
ENTITLED: A Technique For Conveying Overload Conditions From An AC Adapter  
To A Load Powered By The Adapter

The date stamp of the mail room of the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office hereon will acknowledge receipt of a *Transmittal Form (1 p.) and Fee Transmittal for FY 2002 (1 p.)*, in duplicate; *Declaration (1 p.)*; *Application Data Sheet (2 p.)*; *Part 2-Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts (1 p.)*; *Statement Regarding "Attached" Specification (1 p.)*; *Copy of Specification as filed including drawings (27 p.)*; *\$130.00 Surcharge Fee Charged to Deposit Account*; and this acknowledgment postcard, mailed by U.S. Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid on March 19, 2002.

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Applicants:	Thomas P. SAWYERS et al.	§	Group Art Unit:	2838
Serial No.:	10/034,718	§	Examiner:	UNKNOWN
Filed:	December 28, 2001	§	Atty. Docket No.:	1662-55400
For:	A Technique For Conveying Overload Conditions From An AC Adapter To A Load Powered By The Adapter	§	Client Docket No.:	P01-3884

STATEMENT REGARDING "ATTACHED" SPECIFICATION

I, Mark E. Scott, Applicants' registered attorney, state that the attached Specification for which the inventor, James KOK Mun Wai, executed the enclosed Declaration is a true copy of the Specification which was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in this matter to obtain the filing date.

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